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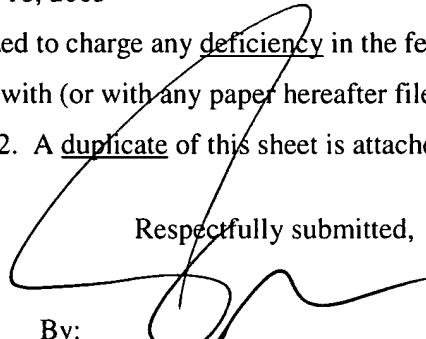
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- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Form PTO-1449 and a copy of the cited references
- ☒ German Search Report dated January 18, 2003

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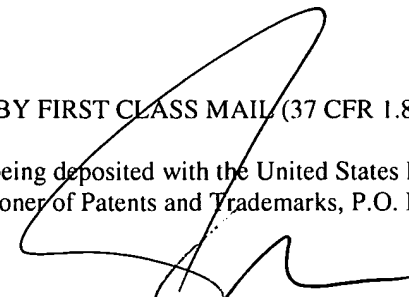
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Submitted herewith are references cited in the German Search Report. A copy of that Search Report is attached hereto and the relevance of the cited references can be found therein. GB 1,089,247 is an English language counterpart to DE 1627779. GB 2,155,558 is an English language counterpart to DE 3507578.

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Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP 609 are earnestly solicited along with an early action on the merits.

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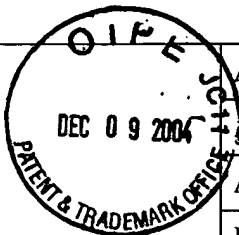
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